

Remarks

Claims 24-26 and 29-38 are pending in the subject application. By this Amendment, the applicants have amended claim 25. No new subject matter has been added by this amendment. Accordingly, claims 24-26 and 29-38 are supported by the specification and remain before the Examiner for consideration.

Initially, the applicants would like to thank the examiner for the indication of allowable subject matter.

The amendments set forth herein should not be interpreted to indicate that the applicants have agreed with, or acquiesced to, the rejections set forth in the outstanding Office Action. The amendments to the claims have been made in an effort to lend greater clarity to the claimed subject matter and to expedite prosecution. Favorable consideration of the claims now presented, in view of the remarks and amendment set forth herein, is earnestly solicited.

Claim 25 has been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph. The applicants have amended claim 25 by deleting reference to “derivatives” thereby rendering moot this rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph.

Claim 25 has also been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph. The applicants have amended claim 25 by deleting reference to “derivatives” thereby rendering moot this rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph.

In view of the foregoing remarks and the amendments above, the applicants believe that the currently pending claims are in condition for allowance, and such action is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR §§1.16 or 1.17 as required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

The applicants also invite the Examiner to call the undersigned if clarification is needed on any of this response, or if the Examiner believes a telephone interview would expedite the prosecution of the subject application to completion.

Respectfully submitted,

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